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HOCKEY GAME.

Olds and Didsbury Tie 2-2.

The first hockey game of the season was played on the local rink on Tuesday night with Olds as the visiting team.

The score indicates how evenly the teams were matched, neither team having any advantage in the play. Neally, of Olds, registered the first goal in the first period after two minutes of play. George Geiger equalised the score in the latter part of the same period. In the second period Cecil Studer worked his way through the Olds team and scored the only goal in the middle stanza. The last period was the fastest of the three, Hubie Gooder, of Olds, scoring the only goal in five minutes of play. After this score both teams were at their best trying to break the tie.

As the game was an exhibition game the tie was not played off.

J. S. McCloy handled the game to the satisfaction of both players and spectators.

Line up—
Olds: W. Cully, Lasher, Neally, H. Gooder, Sutherland, Smith.
Didsbury: W. McCoy, C. Studer, Cook Crosswell, Huget, Robinson, Geiger, Moyle, and R. Berscht.

Burnside Notes

Mr. Fred Metz has been spending a couple of weeks with friends in Calgary, Airdrie and other points.

Mr. and Mrs. Mackie who spent the holidays with the latter's sister, Mrs. Joe Clark left on Tuesday for their home in Arrowwood.

Our rural mail man, Mr. A. W. Axtell has turned the east route over to Mr. Gilray who has received the contract for the west route. Mr. Axtell who has filled the job well and efficiently for a number of years will be missed on the route. At the best the rural mail man's job is a hard one and very little thanks are attached to it for favors done and parcels carried. We wish the new man every success in his new venture.

Mr. Harry Thompson returned Tuesday from Turner Valley where he has been spending the fall and winter.

New Year's visitors included, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Thompson and son with Mr. and Mrs. Eckel; Miss Helen Pross and Mr. Alfie Thompson at Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Cipperley and Mr. H. A. Pearson and Mr. Herman Oblsen at Mr. and Mrs. Wm. McCulloch.

LOCAL & GENERAL

Mr. W. J. McCoy made a business trip to Calgary this week.

Miss Laura Leisemer left on Sunday to attend Normal School at Calgary.

Mrs. W. H. Davies left on Monday for Ontario to visit friends and relatives for a few weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Grant Park are now residing at Edmonton. Mr. Park is manager of the Strand Hotel.

Mrs. J. Boorman was a visitor in Olds on Saturday at the home of her parents Mr. and Mrs. W. Stock.

Messrs. J. V. Berscht and Dan Didsbury are attending the annual meeting of the Furs Association at Edmonton this week.

The Didsbury hockey team will journey to Carstairs to-night to play an exhibition game.

Miss Evelyn Leisemer returned Toronto the first of the week after spending the Yuletide with her parents here.

Watch for posters announcing the next hockey game which will be the beginning of next week. Didsbury has a well balanced team this year and they deserve your support.

It is rumored that several strong rinks will attend the Calgary bonspiel. One rink in particular, is claimed by the "skip," to be a world beater.

Curling is in full swing, with two draws on each sheet per night. The winners of the first schedule should be decided the last of this week.

To-night the vice-president of the Curling Club and his followers will be hosts to the president and his cohorts at a banquet at the Rosebud Hotel.

Misses Grace Coates, Bessie Dugan, Alice Pearson, Edna Hehn, Winnie Studer, Beatrice Kendrick, A. Tuggle and Agnes Pear, who spent the holidays at their respective homes returned to their class duties at Camrose the first of the week.

ANNOUNCEMENT.

Evangelical services will be held in the M.B.C. Church, beginning Sunday, Jan. 5th, to continue until Jan. 19th. Miss Lidia Wolfe, evangelist. Services commencing each night at 8 p.m.

A hearty welcome extended to all.
C. J. Hallman, Pastor.

FIND PRIMEVAL AXE



Anthropologists in Canada are all excited over the discovery during the construction of the Royal York Golf course, Toronto, of a finely preserved bronze axe head, still capable of doing hefty work in the hands of a determined man. Some believe that it is an Indian implement, but many more say it is an authentic relic of the Bronze Age, perhaps a score of

thousand years old and going back to the dim beginnings of humanity. Beautifully balanced and still quite sharp, the years have left their traces on the axe and there are even to be seen markings where leather strips bound it to the handle. Within sight of a great city where once Indians prowled and long centuries before them, primitive men fought with monsters, the place where it was picked up will soon be the scene of golfers teeing off or negotiating difficult bunkers. The course will be open for play next Spring.

Wheat Pool Notes.

The total Alberta Pool handlings from the 1928 crop amounted to over 67 million bushels, 72 per cent of which was shipped to the Pacific coast.

Steady advancement was made by the Alberta Wheat Pool during the 1929 calendar year. The increase in membership reached a total of 4,369, the Pool ending the year with 41,410 members on its lists. In view of the fact that all the first series of contracts expired in August 1928, this membership record is considered very satisfactory by the Pool officials.

At the end of 1929 the Alberta Wheat Pool was operating 439 elevators. During the year 86 new elevators were built and 36 purchased, which together with one elevator leased, makes an increase in Pool elevators of 123 for the year. Additional storage was provided for Vancouver terminal No. 1, bringing the total capacity of the plant up to 5,150,000 bushels. The total Alberta Pool country elevator storage is now 16,620,300 bushels and the Pool terminal space on the Pacific coast 8,050,000 bushels.

The outstanding feature of 1929 so far as the wheat pool is concerned was the steady confidence evinced in the organization by the great majority of the members as well as by the greater percentage of the general public. The Pool encountered difficulties during the year largely due to unusually heavy production of wheat throughout the world. In spite of this feature the marketing policy of the pool maintained a constant steady effect on the world price of wheat.

Alberta Wheat Pool was involved in a notable legal action during the year and successfully carried its defence to the highest court in Canada. The winning of this lawsuit has resulted in the definite establishment of the legal status of the pooling system of marketing as developed by the wheat pool. Another lawsuit in which the Alberta Pool was indirectly involved arose on the part of the government to collect income tax from the three western Pools. The Saskatchewan Wheat Pool was made defendant in the suit heard in the Exchequer Court and judgement was rendered in favor of the Pool. The case was subsequently appealed and at the present time judgment has not been handed down.

Livestock Pool Hold Meeting.

On Monday afternoon about 100 farmers gathered in the Opera House to discuss the Livestock Pool question. Mr. N. S. Clarke acted as chairman.

Mr. A. B. Claypool, of Swallow, president of the Livestock Pool was present and explained the operation of the new Livestock Pool contract.

Great enthusiasm was shown in supporting the Provincial Livestock Pool. It was decided to go ahead and work with the Carstairs Livestock pool for the present and arrangements were made to start shipping this week. Mr. Bob Simpson will have charge of this work in Didsbury.

Messrs. W. J. McCoy, C. W. Gibbs, L. Hehn were elected as a committee to work with the Carstairs board.

Tuxis Representative Gives Report.

The Ravens Tuxis Group held their regular meeting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Booker on Tuesday evening.

The devotional period was taken by the mentor and after the business period, Ormond Phillipson, representative at the Boy's Parliament, which was held at Edmonton the latter part of December, and whose position is Cabinet Minister without portfolio, gave a report of the doings of the boys in session their and of his stay in the capital city.

He announced that the campaign to raise funds for the work with boys, girls and children would be from Feb. 1st to 10th.

After a sing song the boys enjoyed a very nice lunch served by Mrs. Booker.

Didsbury Public School Report.

Report of Grades VI. and V. Names in Order of Merit.

Grade IV.—David Wright, Josie Booker, Donald Phillipson, Lois Edwards, Murray Caithness, Francis Clarke, Joe Crimmon, Mildred Traub, Jim Sinclair, Russell Carleton, Teddie Fooka, Florence Chamberlain, Jim Lamont, Barbara Spence. Absent: Betty Patterson, Arnold Sherrick.

Junior Grade IV.—Gordon Cressman, Riley Moon, Donald Lamont, Laurence Gabel.

Grade V.—Alice Violette, Susie Wall, Dorothy Dippel, Betty Barrett, Winnie Adshad, Lorain Durrer, Raymond Bellamy, Helen Teakey, Harold Erb, Ethel Violette, Betty Cummins, Orha Gabel, Norma Sanderman, Marjorie Burns.

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Peace On Earth, Goodwill Toward Men

"Interdependence," a monthly review published by the League of Nations Society, in Canada, has rendered a real service to Canada, and incidentally to the cause of world peace, by printing its current issue the complete text of the magnificently inspiring speech delivered by the Rt. Hon. J. Ramsay MacDonald, at the state dinner tendered him by the Government of Canada, in the House of Commons at Ottawa. Mr. MacDonald's fine message to the Canadian people, containing such a sincere and impassioned plea for international understanding and a will to peace, was listened to over the radio by hundreds of thousands of people in this country and the United States. That national service is now strengthened by the reprint of the full text of Mr. MacDonald's speech, thus enabling people to read this message again and ponder over it at their leisure.

This same issue of "Interdependence," which, by the way, is distributed to members of the League of Nations Society throughout Canada, or can be had for the trifling subscription price of one dollar a year, also contains the text of the address given by Roch Pinard, the 18-year-old Quebec boy, who won the International Oratorical Contest, held at Washington, D.C., before President Hoover, in October last. The subject of Roch Pinard's address was "Canada Among the Nations," and, like Premier MacDonald's speech, is one well worthy of the consideration of the people of this country. It will intensify a Canadian's pride in, and love for his Dominion. Equally important, and essential to that pride and love, it will further impress upon all readers the absolute necessity for the cultivation of understanding and goodwill among all classes of the Canadian population, based on knowledge, which alone can render ineffective those periodical appeals to passion and prejudice through which designing persons seek to sway the emotions of our people. Mutual understanding, mutual goodwill, mutual appreciation of each other's good qualities, must exist as the basis of peace and cordiality of relations among the various races which make up Canada's cosmopolitan population.

Domestic peace in Canada, it is hardly necessary to say, is the first requirement if this Dominion is to successfully play the role of peace protagonist among all the nations, and an effective member of the League of Nations. From the inception of the League of Nations, Canada has been one of its most influential members. The influence of this Dominion in the councils of the nations is far greater than its population and wealth and world power would accord to it. That influence radiates from the successes already achieved by Canada in solving for itself some of the most vexatious problems now troubling older countries. That influence can be retained and further extended to the extent only that Canadians themselves put into every day practice those rules of conduct which the maintenance of peace among all nations demands shall be observed.

Canada stands for world peace. This fact is recognized by all nations. It is also recognized that as a people we have no ulterior motives in our membership in the League of Nations; that our presence there is solely from a desire to serve others and further the cause of international goodwill and world peace. As a people we unhesitatingly and uncomplainingly bore our burden when an unwelcome war was forced upon mankind. We gave in unstinted measure, and we are paying our own bills without asking help from anybody. This is recognized and appreciated by other nations, and our influence is correspondingly great. So, too, is our responsibility. We must, therefore, first of all be true to ourselves and to those ideals we advocate for adoption by all other peoples and nations.

Finally, "Interdependence" notes with satisfaction the offer of Premier Mackenzie King to provide suitable copies of the Briand-Kellogg pact outlawing war to Provincial Departments of Education which will undertake to distribute them to the schools, and to churches which will give it a place in their edifices. Unquestionably the future peace of the world depends on the determination in the minds of the people, consequently through the schools and churches can the next generation be best reached. The pact, to which Canada's signature is attached, outlawing war as an instrument of national policy, should have a place on the walls of every church and school throughout this broad Dominion. It is a message of "Peace on earth, goodwill toward men."

Congratulates Winner

Herman Trelle Is Pleased That Red Spring Reward Wheat Takes Highest Honors

"Nobody is more pleased than I am over the fact that Joseph Smith, of Wolf Creek, Alberta, has won the world's wheat championship at Chicago," declared Herman Trelle, of Wembley, Peace River, former holder of the championship. "I am particularly pleased that Red Spring Reward was the winning wheat."

It was recalled by Mr. Trelle that the district where the championship wheat was grown was not considered previously as a particularly good wheat country. The success attained by Mr. Smith, he added, showed that varieties of grain can be adapted for any conditions in Alberta and are bound to prove successful if the experiments are made by persons with the qualifications of the 1929 champion.

Smothering Spells Couldn't Walk Far Gaped For Breath

Mrs. T. W. Roth, Kelowna, B.C., writes: "For over a year I was troubled with smothering spells, and it was impossible for me to walk, even a short distance, on account of having to gasp for breath. A friend told me to try



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W. N. U. 1816

Clothing and Safety

Industrial Institutions Enforcing Rules Against Ragged Work Suits

Workmen on the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul Railroad will henceforth wear form-fitting clothing. There will be no more ragged sleeves, dangling tatters on shirts, or flapping shoe soles. The matter of neatness enters into the decision to enforce these regulations, but the greater factor is that of safety.

It is only within the last few years that those in charge of industry have come to a full realization of the danger that lies in loose and ragged clothing. Men working about moving machinery are in constant peril, if anything is dangling from their clothing which is likely to become caught in a belt or flywheel. The constantly increasing number of accidents from this cause finally taught its lesson, and more and more factories and other industrial institutions are enforcing rules of safe dressing.

As a matter of fact, a large part of safety in industry has to do with clothing.

Largest Free Tree Distribution

8,672,650 Trees Sent Out To Prairie Farmers In Spring Of 1929

The number of trees distributed in the spring of 1929 from the forest nurseries maintained by the Forest Service, Department of the Interior, at Indian Head and Sutherland, Saskatchewan, was the largest ever sent out in any one year. The total number of trees sent to farmers in the Prairie Provinces was 8,672,650—4,360,174 from the Indian Head nursery, and 4,312,476 from the Sutherland nursery. The total number of applicants who received trees was 7,452.

Douglas fir trees produce almost a quarter of the lumber output of this country.

Waters of the deep sea cover 115,000,000 square miles with an average depth of two miles.

General Conditions Fundamentally Sound

Sir Charles Gordon, President, at Annual Meeting of Bank of Montreal, Draws Attention to Great Strides Made by Canada During Recent Years.

Sir Charles Gordon's presidential address at the annual meeting of the Bank of Montreal will exert a far-reaching influence upon economic conditions in Canada.

Reviewing the business situation in Canada, Sir Charles referred to the unbroken expansion of the first ten months of the year and extending back over a five-year period, the most marked advance being in the field of mining, and he said that Canadian activity was such that the Canadian banks took no special advantage of the high rates offered in New York; their money was fully employed in the Dominion "and every legitimate need of this country was taken care of at much lower rates than prevailed in the United States."

There is good ground for general business confidence in Sir Charles Gordon's statement that no inflation is apparent in any of the basic commodities of Canadian commerce. He spoke frankly of such unfavorable influences as the reduction in the crop and its slow movement, and the collapse of stock market prices. On the other hand, mining and industrial development in the West, and branch-line railway construction, are beneficial influences; building has been at its peak; markets are being found for new developments of hydro-electric power, and while immigration shows a decline there is also a reduction in the loss through emigration. Coming to the trade situation in Canada, Sir Charles said in part:

"Fundamental conditions are sound, and there is no reason for apprehension as to the ultimate future of Canada."

General Manager's Address

Mr. H. B. Mackenzie, the general manager, surveyed the bank's operations of the past year and made a pregnant diagnosis of actual economic conditions.

Mr. Mackenzie's analysis of the salient features of the balance sheet is not only convincing of a healthy growth in the volume of the bank's business and of its strong liquid position, but it is testimony also of a determination to continue the sane, sound and energetic management that is traditional of the institution. "Our customers in all lines of production and commerce," he said, "have, as always, been our chief care, and their needs have been fully supplied; but we have recently been declining numerous applications, 'large and small, for loans against 'good collateral but to be used for 'other than business purposes, generally the purchase of securities. 'These applications had become so numerous that they threatened to 'encroach upon the money needed to 'finance the country's business."

There is in the proceedings at the Bank of Montreal meeting abundant proof that credit is sound. "Business," Mr. Mackenzie said, "will be somewhat quieter while we are getting 'back to realities, but the realities in 'both countries—Canada and the 'United States—afford firm basis for 'a healthy optimism."

Interesting Wild Life

Many interesting wild animals known to most people only in a zoo can be seen and studied in their natural environment in Waterton Lakes National Park, in the southwest corner of the province of Alberta. In this reserve there are big-horn, or Rocky Mountain sheep, mountain goat, black bear, moose, elk, beaver, and many kinds of small fur-bearers.

No More Asthma. Dr. J. D. Kellogg's Asthma Remedy sounds the death knell of this trying trouble. It stops the awful choking and painful breathing. It guards against night attacks and gives renewed ability to sleep and rest the whole night long. Much is claimed for this remedy, but nothing but what can be demonstrated by a trial. If you suffer from asthma try it and convince yourself of its great value.

Synthetic Gold

G. P. Aston and H. W. Attack, two chemical research workers, of New Zealand, have made the statement that through an electric magnetic process they have been able to change certain elements into gold. During their research Aston claims he discovered a new force, "chromadyne," which is said to be ten times more powerful than electricity.

One of the commonest complaints of infants is worms, and the most effective application for them is Mother Graves' Worm Exterminator.

Manitoba Telephones

The Manitoba Telephone System reports a noteworthy increase in net earnings for the ten months ended September 30th, being \$243,887 as compared with \$187,977 for the same period of last year.

Minard's Liniment for Chapped hands.

Making Survey For Gibraltar Tunnel

Work Likely To Involve Large Political As Well As Engineering Features

The work of examining the rock strata of the Straits of Gibraltar for a tunnel between Europe and Africa is under way, but while the attention of the world is focused on its structural problems, the tunnel also has involved political and engineering features.

During the World War the captain general at Cadiz, who now is Premier Primo de Rivera, made a speech suggesting that Spain join the war on the side of the allies and that in return for this England should give Gibraltar back to Spain. The captain general lost his position for making this speech as an official. This was Primo de Rivera's first political speech.

When Primo de Rivera became dictator in 1923, no one remembered the action of the former captain general at Cadiz. Spain always has had a secret desire to get Gibraltar back and it is expected the tunnel project will be an excuse to reopen the subject. It is obvious that if the premier made an arrangement to get Gibraltar back it would be an achievement that Spain never would forget.

A retrenchment program has been announced for Spain, and it is doubted that it would spend money on the tunnel for years. It is not expected that England would part with Gibraltar, but if the tunnel leads to the reopening of negotiations by which Spain would regain possession on the basis of a lease for 100 or 500 years, possibly with a renewal option, there would be great rejoicing at Madrid.

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Outwitted Police

Students of Ogdensburg, Hungary, who were resolved to conclude their demonstration of protest against the reparations payments, kept police at bay by singing the national anthem during their speeches. The police were forced, in accordance with army orders, to stand inactive at attention, while the singing continued.

Constructing Central Heating Plant

The Northern Engineering and Development Company, Winnipeg, has taken out a permit for \$60,000 for the construction of the first unit of the central steam heating plant, and work will be begun at once.



Commander Byrd Defended

British Explorers Cannot Understand Reported Charges Of Norwegian Airman

British explorers came to the defence of Commander Richard E. Byrd, against the reported charges of Major Tryggve Gran, Norwegian airman and explorer who was a member of the Scott Antarctic expedition.

Major Gran was quoted in a Copenhagen despatch to the Daily Mail, as saying that the terrible mountains which Commander Byrd described were a fantasy.

Captain R. G. England, who commanded the "Nimrod" of Shackleton's first expedition in 1907, said he could not understand Major Gran's reported statement.

"It is all the more extraordinary because Gran was one of Scott's men," said Capt. England. "It would be nothing short of a miracle if Scott's men did not see mountains near the South Pole. On the east there is the Queen Alexandra range, 15,000 feet in height, and on the west the Queen Maud range which is about the same height. These mountains have been actually surveyed and measured."

Captain William Olbeck, who was a member of the Southern Cross Expedition of 1898-99 said: "It is well known there are mountains near the South Pole. Commander Byrd would probably see them from 100 miles away because of his height in his aeroplane. His was a magnificent flight."

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Grows Championship Wheat In a District Supposed To Be Unsuitable For Farming

To win the world's championship for hard spring wheat is no small achievement in these days of world champion growers, but to grow wheat in a district that was supposed to be unsuitable for wheat growing, a district that people years ago left as impossible is a feat that has not been duplicated since world championships for wheat were first established. Yet such is the experience of J. H. B. Smith, a farmer living at Wolf Creek, east of Edson, on the main line of the Canadian National Railways.

The experience of Mr. Smith is in many respects similar to that of other men who have brought this coveted honor to western Canada. Coming from Leicester, England, in 1907, he engaged in several pursuits before he took up a homestead in the Wolf Creek district, in 1913, when the country was just opening up. While farming was not his profession, he soon began to show signs of a successful exhibitor. The following year he took three first prizes at the Edson Agricultural fair for wheat, oats and potatoes. In 1915 he sent his first exhibit to Edmonton and won second place for oats, but it was not until 1920, that he began to tackle the world show at Chicago, when with his first attempt he took 15th place for oats. In 1924, he took 17th place with Marquis wheat and he has shown every year since 1920, with the exception of one year when his crop was hailed out.

Besides the exhibits he has been sending to Chicago, he has been found among the list of successful exhibitors at Canadian fairs for years, and has been gradually climbing up to one of the most consistent growers in the province. Some years ago Mr. Smith began to lose faith in Marquis wheat, and in spite of opposition he pinned his faith to the new Reward wheat, which he claimed would eventually bring the championship to him. He has stuck fast to this faith, tended his plots with painstaking care, and this year his labors were rewarded with such a fine sample that for the first time he felt satisfied to send it to Chicago, declaring as he did so, that the wheat that would beat it had not been grown.

Creosoting Fence Posts

Fence Posts Of Poplar Properly Treated, Last For Years

At the Dominion forest nursery, maintained by the Forest Service, Department of the Interior, at Indian Head, Saskatchewan, fence-posts of poplar, creosoted, have lasted from 1917 to the present and are still sound. Untreated posts, on the other hand, have rotted out in two or three years. Efforts are now being made to devise an apparatus for treating posts which will enable any farmer to set up a simple home treating plant at small expense.

Trees In Waterton Lakes Park

The alpine larch, one of the most beautiful of mountain trees, gives a special grace to many a high pass in Waterton Lakes National Park, Alberta. This tree grows in the last belt approaching timber line. The other principal trees in this Dominion playground are poplar, lodgepole pine, white-barked pine, Douglas fir, alpine fir, and Englemann spruce.

Of 124 child workers recently found on canal boats in England, 76 were under 12 years of age.



"What is this overtime you are claiming?"
"The evening you invited me to dine with you."—Wahre Jakob, Berlin.

W. N. U. 1816

Amenities In Politics

Kind Words Of Rt. Hon. Stanley Baldwin To Premier MacDonald

In the British parliament on Wednesday, the Rt. Hon. Stanley Baldwin, Conservative leader, congratulated Premier MacDonald on his visit to the United States and said that he himself had desired to visit the republic as prime minister.

"But there is no feeling of regret or envy in my heart," added Mr. Baldwin. "I rejoice it has been done. I am happy it has fallen to the right honorable gentleman to do it. I hope it will not be the last time."—Toronto Star.

Floor Of Atlantic Shifts

Earthquake Along Eastern Coast On November 18 Causes Submarine Upheaval

That the bed of the North Atlantic was shifted as a result of the earthquake of November 18, was indicated at Halifax in reports from cable ships assigned to the task of repairing the submerged breaks. Soundings showed that the floor of the ocean had been moved and that fishing banks had shifted as a result of the disturbance.

Breaks in the cables connecting the old world with the new have been plotted over an area 400 miles south-east and 300 miles northeast of Halifax. In some cases several breaks occurred in the same cable over a distance of 100 miles.

Regina's Building Increases

Building permits issued in Regina from January 1st to October 31st amount to \$9,445,729, as compared with \$6,146,010 for the corresponding period of last year.

Canadian Emigration To U. S. Is Slowing Down and Tide Appears To Have Turned

Sunflower Silage Good For Young Sheep

Proves Better Food Than Mixture Of Oats, Peas and Vetches

Silage from sunflowers proved a better succulent food than silage made from a mixture of oats, peas and vetches, for the wintering of young sheep at the Northern Ontario Experimental Station. For six years feeding tests were carried on during the winter months with lambs born the previous spring. The ration of other foods was exactly the same for thirty-day periods each year. During the first five years of the test the ration given to each lamb consisted of silage, one pound, clover, hay, two pounds, and grain one-half pound per day. In 1928, however, the amount of silage fed, was determined by the percentage of dry matter which it contained. The oats, peas and vetches silage, having been found to contain less moisture, was afterwards fed at the rate of a pound per day, while the sunflower silage was fed at the rate of one and one-half pounds per day for each lamb. The grain mixture used was composed of whole oats three parts, bran one part by weight, plus five per cent. of oil cake. The average daily gain made over the thirty-day period amounted to .23 of a pound by those fed on sunflower silage, and .18 of a pound made by those receiving the oats, peas and vetches silage. The feed cost to produce one hundred pounds of gain also showed the sunflower silage to be the better feed, as the cost per one hundred pounds of gain was \$11.44 for the sunflower fed lot, and \$15.08 for the others. The experiment is described and the results given in the report of the superintendent of the experimental station at Kapuskasing, Ontario, published by the Department of Agriculture, at Ottawa.

Alberta-Saskatchewan Boundary

Follows Straight Line For Nearly 700 Miles and Is Longest Surveyed Straight Line

The boundary between Alberta and Saskatchewan is the Fourth Meridian of the Dominion Lands survey system, which coincides approximately with the 110th meridian of west longitude and under instructions from the Surveyor General, Department of the Interior, has been surveyed from the International Boundary northerly to Lake Athabasca, a distance in a straight line of nearly seven hundred miles, constituting one of the longest surveyed straight lines in the world.

My brother ought to git along with his new wife. Their tastes is congenial—they both love her.

Wholesale movement of the cleverest and most enterprising of Canada's sons to the United States, attracted by the glamor of riches in the larger American cities has dropped considerably.

Correspondingly the influx of Americans into Canada has increased, and leaders of both countries are considering the significance of the change.

Wesley Frost, United States consul-general, at Montreal, states in commenting on the change:

"Canadian emigration has slowed down of its own accord, and the tide appears definitely to have turned. Our consular records confirm this, since a large share of Europeans in Canada on our visa waiting lists, are now declining the opportunity to cross the American border, when their turns are reached.

"Canada's development will certainly now for a time be more rapid than that of the United States and the balance of migration will in all probability swing strongly into Canada's favor and remain so for at least two or three decades. We cannot honorably lament this change, for we owe Canada more than we can ever pay in the way of high grade man power.

"Moreover, those of our countrymen, who become whole-souled Canadians, as many of them do, will enhance mutual comprehension between the two people."

New Human Disease Caught From Rabbit

Wild Rabbit, Doctors Say

Never eat a rabbit that you can kill with a club, for it's probably sick, advises Dr. C. C. Ruhland, Commissioner of Health, in a statement issued at Syracuse, N.Y. recently. And Tularemia, the disease that slows down the rabbit, can kill the hunter, for according to American statistics, out of 420 cases, 17 have ended fatally. Thus the mortality is about 4 per cent.

Generally the infection comes from dressing the animal, the germ entering the human hand through an abrasion, at the point of which an ulcer is raised. The onset of the disease is sudden, often occurring while the patient is at work, and is characterized by headache, nausea, chills, excessive perspiration, body pains, prostration and fever. The latter symptom is always present and continues for two or three weeks.

Tularaemia, so named because it was discovered in a ground squirrel in Tulare County, California, is caused by a germ, *Bacterium Tularensis*. Cases of the disease among humans have been found in all parts of the States, excepting New England. Rabbit meat thoroughly cooked, however, is harmless since a temperature of 133 degrees Fahrenheit kills the *Tularaemia* germs.

World's Smallest Engine

Among the exhibits at the recent Model Engineers' Exhibition in London, England, was a horizontal engine so small that it is almost impossible to see the working parts in motion without a magnifying-glass. It is only a quarter of an inch long and is worked by compressed air. A hair from the head of the wife of the model-maker forms the driving-belt.

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Two brothers, Lindsey and Gordon Weir, of Prince Albert, Saskatchewan, who won the Dominion Championship, in swine club work at the Royal Winter Fair, Toronto, recently. The two boys are shown with W. D. Robb, Vice-President of the Canadian National Railways, who donated for annual competition the Robb Trophy, which carries with it the Dominion Championship. For the second year this trophy goes to Prince Albert; last year two girls from this district received the honor.

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E.J.C. GOODER, Editor & Manager.

DRIVERS BLAMED FOR MOST ACCIDENTS.

At the 15th annual convention of the Insurance Federation of America the statement was made by Albert E. Lavery, State Senator of Bridgeport, Conn., that approximately 80% of the automobile accidents in his state during the year 1928 were due to the motor vehicle operator. He gave as the authority for his statement a recent study of motor vehicle accidents in the state, made by Professor Kirby, of Yale University.

These figures, said Mr. Lavery, sustain the judgment of the Legislature of Connecticut in passing an act which places the burden where it belongs—on the man who drives the car. The success of the Connecticut law has been due in a great part to the fact that the motor vehicle department of the State is organized and equipped to furnish the necessary information upon which to base a merit rating system. Their records include all accidents and convictions in the State since 1917.

The Connecticut law of 1925, which compelled persons having accidents to furnish financial responsibility, did much to secure a greater coverage; but because it was not universal it continued to furnish an argument for compulsory insurance. The experience in Massachusetts with compulsory insurance has been such that it was not attractive to the Legislature of Connecticut.

MORE ENCOURAGEMENT FOR AVIATION WORK.

Advancement in aviation is inevitable and the governments of all countries are making plans to cope with the situation. Ottawa is following closely a measure presented at Washington which provides for the establishment of a department of aeronautics and another measure which would provide \$100,000,000 for a revolving fund to be loaned to airplane manufacturers and promoters of air lines.

A third measure has been presented which would establish in the House a standing committee on aeronautics of 17 members. All proposed legislation relating to civil and military aeronautics would be referred to this committee.

The proposed department of aeronautics would be headed by a secretary ranking with other Cabinet members. A director of aeronautics to be appointed by the secretary is also provided for.

The functions of the department, the bill states, would be to foster, promote, regulate and develop the science of aeronautics and the adaptation of flying both of heavier-than-air and lighter-than-air craft to commercial purposes.

There are complaints from those directly concerned with aeronautic expansion in Canada that Government leadership is lacking and that official co-operation and encouragement must be extended. One suggestion advanced by those close to the Government is that a department of communications should be established, and it is believed that such a step is being considered.

LOCAL & GENERAL

Mr. H. A. Hansen, of Ridgway, Iowa, is visiting at the home of Mr. J. Tabert.

The dance at Rugby schoolhouse which was announced for Jan. 10 has been postponed.

Dance at Elton Schoolhouse on Friday, Jan. 17th. Mac's orchestra. Admission 75c.

Norma Shearer, in "The Last of Mrs. Cheyney," at the Movies on Friday and Saturday, January 10th and 11th.

The Didsbury Curling Club will be represented at the Drumheller Bonspiel by McCloy, Kaufman, Sanderman and Teskey.

Mrs. A. Leclair and son Eugene are making an extended visit in the east. They will visit friends and relatives in Montreal and Quebec Cities.

NOTICE

1930 Auto License Plates are now available at Adsheds Garage. Be sure and bring in the forms that were sent you.

The Didsbury Oddfellows will visit the Crossfield Lodge on Thursday Jan. 15, where their officers will be installed at a joint installation.

Mr. and Mrs. Weidner had as their guests on New Years. Mr. and Mrs. N. C. Hughes and Mr. and Mrs. F. Reiffenstein and son, where all spent a jolly day.

1930 auto and truck license plates are obtainable same as last year at the office of Geo. C. Peattie Olds, over the Bank of Montreal. Bring your application forms. of the country.

The United Church Sunday school will hold an afternoon tea and food sale on Wednesday, Jan. 15th from 3 p.m. to 6 p.m. in the basement of the new church. Adults 25c., children 15c. Everybody welcome. The proceeds will be used to equip the primary department of the Sunday School.

Rumors that the Rosebud Flour Mills are shut down are false. We are grinding as usual.

Rosebud Flour Mills Co., Ltd.

PULLMAN MOTOR COACHES DESIGNED

Long-distance motor coach lines, which connect most of the cities and large towns from northern Canada to the Mexico border, are gradually growing into important inter-state and national systems, just as the railways merged in earlier days. Mr. Horner, of General Motors, was one of the speakers at the transportation meeting of the Society of Automotive Engineers, which brought hundreds of motor experts to Toronto last week. At the motor coach session coaches for night travel were illustrated which were provided with sleeping compartments, arrangements for cooking and serving meals, and other conveniences comparable with those of Pullman railroad trains.

Superior grazing conditions in British Columbia are given as the reason for a shipment of 3400 grade Ramboulet ewes and rams from Montana recently made to the Vancouver Live Stock Exchange for distribution to sheep raisers in the Kamloops and Cariboo districts of British Columbia.

The farm of Gustav Elgert of Wetaskiwin that won the trophy recently offered by the Edmonton Board of Trade for the best field of wheat in the northern half of the province of Alberta as well as the cup donated by the Alberta Government for the best farm in Alberta, has yielded 46 bushels to the acre on a 100-acre field and graded No. 1 hard. Elgert is another farmer who came to Canada without capital and has made a striking success.

The British Family Re-Union Association has just been created by the Canadian Pacific department of Colonization and Development — backed by influential organizations, groups and individuals — to promote increased British settlement in Canada. It will particularly benefit heads of families in Canada desirous of having their wives and families rejoin them in the Dominion, and others established on this side wishing to bring relatives or friends to their permanent residence.

Great Clearance Sale AT RANTON'S

Good News from Dry Goods Section

Kimona Velour, 45c.

8 Good Pattern of Kimona Velour in extra soft finish
January Special 45c yd.

**Winnipeg Flannels
45c.**

A real good Cotton Shirting Flannel, extra heavy quality in fancy checks
January Clearance 45c yd.

Towelling, 20c.

Heavy quality, crash or Turkish towelling in nice dark patterns.
January Clearance 20c yd.

Pyjama Crepe, 30c.

Pretty Blue Bird and fancy crepe, ten colors to choose from.
January Clearance 30c yd.

Dress Goods, 50c.

Fancy checked cotton dress goods, wool finish, full 36 inches wide. Will make excellent school dresses
January Clearance 50c yd.

**Blanket Coating
\$1.00**

3 pieces of Pure Wool Blankets Coating, full yard and a half wide.
January Clearance, \$1.00 yd.

**Wool Dress Goods
85c.**

Pure wool homespun in several patterns, excellent for dresses and skirts
January Clearance 85c yd.

Dress Flannel, 75c.

Pure wool dress flannels in ten popular shades
January Clearance 75c yd.

Flannelette, 27 1/2c.

Extra soft finished flannelette, in 36 inch width, with tan and blue overcheck
January Clearance 27 1/2c.

**Striped Flannelette
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Men's and Boy's Pure Wool Mackinaw Coats at a Big Saving

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Clearing at \$4.95

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Men's Leather Vests \$7.75

Brown leather vests made from glove leather, flannel lined, lay down collar, double buttoned cuffs and flap pockets. Regular \$11.35.
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Men's Cream Horsehide

Vests made from No. 1 Skins, heavy all wool lining, reg. \$16
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Extra fine quality Rayon Vests and Bloomers in dozens of pretty shades. Stock up now

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**Women's and Children's
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Women's Flannel Dresses in sand, paddy, wine and tan, nicely trimmed.
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3 only Wool Jersey Dresses, new fall models; the colors are henna, green and blue and green combination.
January Clearance \$5.95

Wool Taffeta Dresses

3 only Wool Taffeta Dresses in neat stripes, Reg. \$12.50
January Clearance, \$10.75

3 only New Style Wool Dresses with wide stripe, snappy models.
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**Crepe & Satin Dresses
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Silk Crepe and Satin Dresses in black and colors; long sleeves and a few short sleeves.

January Clearance, \$7.45

**Womens & Childrens
Underwear**

Heavy Fleece Lined Bloomers for Girls. January Sale 45c.

Heavy Fleece Lined Bloomers for Women. January Sale 65c.

Women's Winter Union Suits in cream color.
Jan. Sale \$1.25, \$1.50, \$1.75, \$2

Girl's Combination in all sizes. Priced from \$1.00 up, according to size

Women's Silk Striped Vests and Bloomers

January Clearance, 50c.

Girl's Flannelette Nightgown

January Sale 75c.

Bedroom Slippers for Girls and

Misses, all sizes 50c.

Women's extra fine quality Broadcloth coat, with fur collar and cuffs. Reg. \$28.50, \$30.00 and \$35.00
Clearing at **\$24.95**

2 only Women's fur trimmed Coats, reg. \$25.00
Clearing at **\$17.45**

Women's Black Broadcloth Coat, with fur trimming, special values at \$19.50
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Child's Blanket Cloth Coats warmly lined, in rosewood and brown, sizes 1-2 & 2 years. Clearing at **\$2.50**

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Clearing at **\$5.45**

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Girl's Fur trimmed coats in brown and red, blue and black fur trim, extra well made and good fur, sizes 10, 11, and 14 yrs. Values to \$14.50
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Church Announcements

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Rev. C. J. Hallman, Pastor.

Sunday Services:
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2:45 p.m.—Preaching Services.
7:30 p.m.—Preaching Service, including Young People's meeting every alternate Sunday.
A Welcome Awaits You.

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Church services second Sunday of each month, 11 a.m., Communion service. Rev. H. Clay in charge.
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7:15 Wednesday, Jr. Leagues—C.E.
8:00 " Praise and Prayer Service.

UNITED CHURCH

Rev. A. E. Hayes, B.A., Minister.

Knox Sunday School 11 a.m.
Westcott 2 p.m. Sunday School
2:30 p.m. Church Services
7:30 p.m. Knox Church, Didsbury.
Plans are being made for the anniversary services sometime this month.
Mr. Hayes is taking for his theme this Sunday "Building fires in cold rooms."
Knox Church is always well heated, comfortable, and well ventilated.

LUTHERAN CHURCH

Westcott 10:30 p.m. English.
Didsbury 2:30 p.m. German.
Sermon subject: "The Christian training of the young and the obligations of Christian parents."

IMOGENE AND ANDREW

"The farm problem is certainly worrying the politicians!" exclaimed Andrew, looking up from his paper.
"I don't understand why every one is always worrying about the farmers," answered Imogene. "With the price of everything in the market as high as it is, I don't see why the farmers don't get rich. I never could understand why every one worries about the farmer, trying to do something for him. Seems to me the farmer has an easy life."

"Look at the price of eggs! What does a farmer do to get eggs? He has a flock of hens that walk around the yard and eat fish worms and stale bread and cake and things like that. Then the hens sit down and lay eggs and the farmer sells them. The hens do all the work and the farmer gets all the money."

"Same way with his frying chickens. If the chicken is a rooster, all he has to do is to let the mother hen hatch it out and raise it for him. When it is big enough he takes it to the market and sells it. He hasn't done a thing but sit on the verandah and watch it grow."

"For milk he just has a flock of cows which stand around in the meadow and eat grass. All he has to do is to send his wife or daughter to milk the cow and take the milk to the creamery or to town and sell it. The cow does all the work."

"If he doesn't want to make so many trips to town, he lets the milk set till it turns to butter, or does whatever they have to do to make butter, and he sells that. The cow works for the farmer like the chickens do."

"Pigs work for him, too, and he never has to do a thing but provide a muddy place for them to root and sleep. When they get fat he turns them into bacon and hams and sells them. The pigs do the work and the farmer gets the money."

"For corn and beans and things he scatters a few seeds on the ground and then sits down and waits till the earth does the work of growing up to the time when the corn and the beans are big enough to sell. He gets all the money."

"Spinach, rhubarb, radishes, celery, cabbage and everything are alike, Andrew. He throws seed in the ground and only has to wait till they come up, grow and get ripe, and then he takes them to town and gets all the money for himself."

"Farmers always have a lot of children. They don't have to do anything about those either, for their wives raise them and then they send them out to pick the peas, the corn and hoe the potatoes. The farmers get all the money for what their children hoe and pick."

"I don't pretend to know anything about politics, Andrew, but I think with the hens and the cows and the pigs and the children and the ground and wives and everything helping the farmer, he has so much help already the government hasn't any business helping him."

"When the city people go to the country and eat what the farmer has raised, so he doesn't have to carry it to town, they are doing quite enough."

"That Mr. Miller up the road where we get our eggs and milk doesn't need help. Every time I go there he is standing by the fence looking at his pigs or his hens or something as though he thought they weren't doing enough for him. And he charges me the same price for eggs he would get in town!"

"You ought to tell Mr. Miller what you have told me!" laughed Andrew.

CHRISTMAS ON SPANISH MAIN



Christmas on the Spanish Main will be celebrated this year by passengers on the Canadian Pacific liner, Duchess of Bedford, with English Manor House ceremonial for the first time in the history of the sea. There will be a jester with cap and bells who will fiddle in the barons of beef and bear's head and other mighty dishes that will make up the good cheer while there will be a procession of mediocrally costumed servants in the most approved historical manner.

Passengers on the 16-day Christmas and New Year holiday cruise to the West Indies made annually by this vessel will not only be the audience of the first real old-fashioned Christmas celebration in those waters but many of them will also be actors in the function. The Duchess of Bedford will leave New York December 23.

There will, of course, not be forgotten a gigantic Christmas pudding over and around which the weird blue of burning brandy will cast an uncanny radiance. The bowl of wassail, preceded by two pursuivants and accompanied by the court jester will go the round of the guests in one of the most popular of old-time Christmas observations.

Among the guests there will be Randolph Crowe, well-known operatic baritone who added to his laurels as "John the Butcher" in Dr. Vaughan Williams' "Hugh the Drover", prize fight ballad opera and whose North American premiere was recently given at the English Folk Dance Festival at Toronto. Further, there will be members of the New York Folk Dance Society, while carol singing, "Waits", a Christmas Ball, old English Folk Dances and songs and many other features will make the trip unique.

Over 300 officers and men of the 4th Canadian Mounted Rifles first mounted regiment, formed in Toronto at the outbreak of the Great War, is holding its first reunion since the war at the Royal York Hotel, Toronto, November 29 next. The unit is proud of the fact that it still has in its ranks T. Holmes of Toronto, youngest Victoria Cross holder in Canada who captured an enemy machine gun nest singlehanded at Passchendaele.

An apple tree, over a hundred years old, remarkable for its symmetry and having this year produced 22 barrels of Calkin Pippin apples, is attracting much attention in the orchard of Downey Morton, Lakeville, King's County, Nova Scotia. Mr. Morton picked apples from the same tree 55 years ago and it was then a fully grown tree. Today he believes it to be well over the century mark.

The arrangement existing between the Canadian Pacific Railway and the Government of Nova Scotia with regard to English immigration which has proved mutually satisfactory, will be continued for the coming year, is the recent announcement of L. B. Fraser, secretary to Premier Rhodes.

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WORLD HAPPENINGS BRIEFLY TOLD

The Canadian Privy Council will more than likely discuss British Columbia's freight rates appeal on January 25.

J. W. Collins, secretary of the Department of Industry and Commerce, has been appointed New Zealand trade commissioner in Canada.

The Canadian Government has under consideration the establishment of several additional steamship services for the promotion of Canadian trade abroad.

The Washington foreign service buildings commission has allotted \$1,000,000 for the purchase of land, and construction of a new legation and office buildings at Ottawa.

Oriental immigration into British Columbia in 1928 was 573, exactly the same number as in the previous year. The provincial immigration bureau announced the curious coincidence.

The British Government may extend the farm workers' plan, J. H. Thomas, Lord Privy Seal in the MacDonald Government, said when announcing that Canada had agreed to take 3,000 men next year.

Dr. Augusta Stowe Gullen, Toronto, first woman physician to graduate from a Canadian university, was honored recently by the medical alumnae of the University of Toronto, who presented her portrait in oils to the Academy of Medicine.

Hugh Morrison, of Edmonton, 21-year-old son of the late Judge Morrison, of the Alberta district court, and Mrs. Morrison, has been selected as Alberta's Rhodes scholar for 1929. He was chosen from a list of four candidates.

To Cut Air Mail Schedule

Feasibility Of Pick-Up Device Proved By Tests

An air mail pick-up device, capable of receiving and discharging mail sacks while an airplane is in full flight, may cut existing air mail schedules fifteen minutes to an hour, according to the American Air Transport Association, which says that tests of the device already made, promise its future adoption on many of the country's twenty-four air mail routes.

The tests being made at Youngstown, O., have proved the feasibility of catching a small bag of mail as it swings on the end of a 75 foot cable attached to a 'plane in full flight. The device consist of a V-shaped trap, built in the ground. As the mail bag from the 'plane is caught in the trap, the device automatically attaches another bag, which is hauled up into the 'plane. Similar tests are being carried out in the receiving and discharging of mail at sea, on the S.S. Leviathan.

The theory which postal officials, air mail operators and the inventor are working on, is that an air mail 'plane can leave an airport, swoop down on the pick-up device, haul the mail to a similar device near the post office in the city at the other end of the line, and then go on to that city's airport.

Canada's Forest Areas

The total forest area of Canada, including the 82,260 square miles of forest on agricultural land, is estimated to be 1,151,454 square miles, and of this about 1,100,000 square miles is essentially forest land which can be utilized to the best advantage under forest.

Manitoba Tourist Industry

According to the latest figures Manitoba's tourist industry brought about \$5,667,000 into the province, or an increase of about \$1,000,000 over last year's figures. Convention visitors numbered 37,000, a gain of 8,500 over 1928.

That Irritating Cough

complications will stop a cough, and prevent taken internally with molasses. A half teaspoon of Minard's



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A Record For Safety

Big Eastern Concern Operates Plant For Two Consecutive Years Without Lost-Time Accident

The great campaign for the prevention of accidents and the safeguarding of human life that is being carried on by energetic organizations and the press of the country has many tangible results that are decidedly encouraging to the sponsors of the safety movement.

Last week one of the large industrial concerns of Canada celebrated a full year of freedom from lost-time accidents, by giving a banquet to their more than 400 employees. This company, the Canadian National Carbon Company, Limited, whose head office and plant is located in Toronto, has devoted a great deal of time to educating their employees to the importance of working safely, and the Safety Committee is constantly devising guards for the machines, re-arranging time-tables of working hours and directing the process of manufacture so that each employee can work to the limit of his or her ability with the knowledge that they are safe from accidents that might cause loss of time and injury and reduce their earning capacity.

To make safety more impressive, the Union Carbide & Carbon Corporation presents to each plant which operates for a full year without a lost-time accident a handsome bronze shield. For each succeeding year that the record is maintained a bronze bar is added to the shield. It was to celebrate the second year in which this Canadian plant operated without a lost-time accident and earned the bronze bar that the Company gave their employees the banquet in the handsome, completely equipped cafeteria which is a part of the plant.

Besides the hundreds of employees who attended the banquet, a number of distinguished guests were present and addressed the gathering. These included Mr. R. B. Morley, general manager, Ontario Industrial Accident Prevention Association; Mr. P. Moran, head of Industrial Service Department, National Carbon Industrial Works, Niagara Falls, N.Y.; Mr. James Moran, general manager, Dominion Oxygen Company, Limited, Toronto; Mr. W. H. Winans, head of Industrial Relations Department, Union Carbide & Carbon Corporation, New York; Mr. H. E. Pollock, assistant general sales manager, Canadian National Carbon Company, Limited, Toronto; Mr. W. B. Pritz, assistant works manager, National Carbon Co., Limited, Cleveland, Ohio.

The gathering was entertained by the Eveready Dance Band, which is heard regularly through the Company's own broadcasting station, CKNC, Toronto.

Recipes For This Week

(By Betty Barclay)

MINCEMEAT DELICIOUS

4 lemons.
2 apples.
1 pound currants.
1/2 cup raisins.
1/2 cup chopped nuts.
1/2 cup melted butter.
2 cups sugar.
1 teaspoon salt.
1 teaspoon ground cinnamon.
1 teaspoon ground nutmeg.
1 teaspoon ground cloves.
1 teaspoon ground ginger.
1 teaspoon ground allspice.
Squeeze juice from lemons and cook peel until soft. Put through meat-chopper and then rub through a sieve. Add chopped apples and remaining ingredients, mix well and store in jars. Use as a filling for turnovers and pies.

HOLIDAY LUNCHEON DISH

1 box sardines.
1 lemon.
1 bunch radishes.
Parsley or watercress.
Remove cover neatly and entirely from a box of sardines. Place on a platter, and surround with wreath of parsley or cress. Cut radishes in the shape of flowers, and arrange in the parsley. Cut lemons in halves, cross-wise, and then cut in deep points. Arrange at ends and sides of platter, in the parsley. Serve very cold.

While men have greater muscular strength than women, they have less vital stamina.

Telephones To Ship At Sea

Can Communicate By 'Phone With Liners a Thousand Miles From Shore

Communication by telephone from the mainland with ships at sea became a permanent, commercial project with the inauguration of service between New York and the liner Leviathan, 200 miles off shore, bound for Europe.

President Walter Gifford, of the American Telephone and Telegraph Company, formally opened the service by "ringing up" Captain Cunningham of the Leviathan.

The first actual commercial message to be delivered to the Leviathan by telephone came from Atlantic City, where, in his hotel room, William H. Rankin, advertising man, chatted for five minutes with Sir Thomas Lipton, a passenger. Rankin is the first man to pay money for such a privilege.

The service was perfect, Rankin said. The noted yachtsman informed the advertising man that he will return to America next June, hoping to win America's Cup with the Shamrock V.

Telephone Company officials said communication with ocean liners will remain good until the vessel is beyond 1,000 miles from shore. The flat rate for a three-minute conversation between New York and the Leviathan is \$21, with an additional \$7 for each additional minute.

X-Ray Can Be Measured

To Determine Combined Effect Of Quantity and Quality

"X-rays may be measured as accurately as the pharmacist measures drugs in the drug store," said Dr. A. Mutcheller, of New York, in a paper before the convention of the radiological society of North America, held recently in Toronto. "In modern medicine the greatest forward step was made when methods became known to weigh accurately a given drug and then also when its physiological strength could be determined. The importance of these two determinations arises out of the fact that of drugs not only the quantity must be known, but also their power of effectiveness. The same holds true with regard to X-rays, for the measure of their effect depends neither upon their quantity or quality alone but on the combined measure of both."

Fruit Men Study Conditions

Representative fruit men of British Columbia have gone to the Prairies to watch the handling of their crop and learn the attitude of the consumers and the retail trade.

Left Valuable Information

Modern Astronomers Surprised At Records Collected By Early Indian Ruler

There lived in India, in the seventeenth century, a ruler known as Maharajah Jai Singh II., and being keenly interested in astronomy he evolved a series of structures which, though not now used for practical purposes, constitute the most unique astronomical instruments in existence. He appears to have collected all kinds of astronomical books, and sent some workers to foreign countries to gather information. Having determined the kind of instruments required on which to make the necessary recording of the movements of the heavenly bodies, he selected five places in India as the centres in which the observations should be taken. The first he built at Delhi, and then others in Jaipur, Ujain, Benares and Mathura. The observatories in Delhi and Jaipur have been carefully restored. In addition to a number of metal instruments he erected large masonry instruments, some of them as high as 90 feet. Very careful records were made of the observations of his staff of workers, and modern astronomers have expressed surprise at the valuable information thus collected. The ruler responsible for these interesting instruments died in 1743, and his wives, concubines and science expired with him on his funeral pyre.

Great Water Users

Scottish Town Seems To Be Thirstiest In British Isles

Have you any idea how much water the average city dweller uses daily? Take London, with its gigantic population. Here the authorities have to supply an area of 558 square miles, and give the seven million people the water they need. Would you have imagined that each of these demands no less than 36 gallons every day? Yet that is only the average supply per head per day. In the dry, hot weather the amount required for each person becomes 40 gallons, or more than a barrel of water per day for each man, woman, and child. London is not the thirstiest town, Scotland consumes more water than England. In Glasgow and Edinburgh, for instance, the average consumption per head is not 36, but 37 gallons; and to Helensburgh, in Dumbartonshire, belongs the distinction of being the most thirsty town in the whole of the British Isles. Here they take 81.7 gallons per head. One reason given for Scotland's large consumption is that the water supply is much better than in England.

Contesting Canada's Claim

Must Occupy Arctic Before Ownership Is Proved, Says Norwegian Premier

Canada's position with regard to ownership to the Arctic archipelago is unaltered from the claim reiterated in June, 1923, by Hon. Charles Stewart, Minister of the Interior, it was made known in Government circles at Ottawa. News despatches from London had intimated that Premier Mowinkel, of Norway, contested the right of this country to mark out sectors of the Arctic as possessions in which Canada's interests were paramount. The Norwegian premier asserted in a speech at Bergen that Norway adhered to the view that territory could be claimed only when it had actually been occupied, and that since Canada had not occupied all the Arctic, this country's interests in unoccupied territory could not be admitted.

That the opinions of Premier Mowinkel in this respect will not affect the right which Canada claims to the Arctic islands north of the Canadian mainland, between longitude 60 and longitude 141, was flatly asserted by Government officials. Several attempts had been made in the past to disprove Canada's ownership of that archipelago, but recognition was now general, and Norway appeared to be the only nation that was still contesting it.

Was Out Of Place

Use Of Old Formula Upset Decorum Of British House

The decorum of the British House of Commons was upset the other day by a members use of time-honored formula which proved, in this instance, quite out of place under modern conditions. Miss Margaret Bondfield, Minister of Labor, gave an answer which did not satisfy Sir Frederick Hall, Conservative.

"May I press the Right Honorable Lady," began Sir Frederick, when he was interrupted by uproarious shouts of "No!" Sir Frederick apologized and reframed his query.

Canada's Highways Important

The highways in Canada are becoming increasingly important year by year in the economic structure of the country. Over them is carried a very heavy traffic, both passenger and freight, especially between the large cities and towns. At the end of 1928 the total mileage of surfaced roads in Canada was 64,121.

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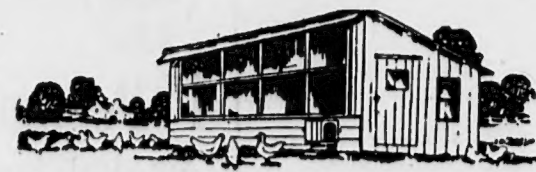
Indeed, the discovery of WINDOLITE has during the last six years completely revolutionized gardening, given a new stimulus to poultry breeding, increasing the egg-laying capacity and fertility of chickens, has greatly improved the health of cattle and is now being used in domestic and household requirements.



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The Singing Fool

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SYNOPSIS

Al Stone, singing waiter at Blackie Joe's New York night club, is loved by Grace Farrell, the cigarette girl, but he doesn't know it. He marries Molly Winton, a ballad singer, and wins fame as a composer of popular songs. When their baby, Junior, is about two years old, Molly elopes with John Perry, Al's best friend. She and Perry take the child Al adores and sail for France. Al, broken by the loss, becomes a derelict. Months later he drifts into Blackie's place at night, where Grace Farrell, who still loves him, shames him into the promise to stage a come-back. They leave the club together shortly after dawn, but as they reach the street Al staggers.

CHAPTER XXVI.

"What's the matter?" Grace asked anxiously.

"It's just the effect of coming suddenly into the sunlight after all that has happened—back there. I'm not quite sure of myself and my directions. And I look so terrible down-and-out in this bright daylight.

It was true, Al's appearance was painfully seedy, but Grace dismissed that.

"We'll soon fix everything," she said confidently. "And Al—?"

"Yes."

"If I'm to help you, you must give me your full confidence—tell where you're living and promise not to run away again."

"I will, Gracie," Al answered earnestly, in the tone of a child who wants desperately to make a good impression. "I'll promise."

Grace smiled in spite of her attempt to appear a trifle stern.

"Well, then, come along."

As they strolled along the sunlit streets, with Grace occasionally sending a happy glance up into Al's face, she could not help but realize how their positions were reversed from the time when she had first known him. Then she had been a frightened child and big, generous Al had protected her from the rowdy customers at Blackie's place. Now she was almost leading that same man as if he were a child, protecting him and encouraging him constantly. Her heart was ready to burst with pride and love.

"Where do you live?" she asked.

"It's over there," said Al, vaguely indicating the East Side. "You know"—he paused irresolutely—"I hate for you to walk over there. It's such a dump. Just a rickety, cheap hotel—almost like a flop house."

"That doesn't matter to me," said Grace quickly, "but if you'd rather go home alone, all right. Only don't think

I care about your clothes or where you live, or anything like that. I just care about you."

There was no mistaking the look in Grace's eyes—Al realized at last that she loved him. Yet he marvelled at it—how could she love a down-and-out like him? He felt a rapid throb under his dilapidated vest, an emotion he had not known for a long time. He wanted to put his arms about her and tell her how much she meant to him, but he held back. This was neither the time nor the place.

"Before you go home," suggested Grace, "walk over to the Square with me. I live near there. We can sit on a bench and talk for a while. It will be good for you."

Al nodded. Presently they emerged from the canyons of streets to the wide green expanse of Washington Square.

"See how beautiful it is," said Grace. "I thought it would make you feel better. The leaves are turning red and yellow. And see how nice the green buses look passing under the trees. Here, we'll try this bench."

Al sat down and relaxed, his eyes half closed. The autumnal morning sunlight slanted down from between two skyscrapers, spreading fan-shape across the level expanse and lighting the white arch. Italian slum children played on the south side, while in the northern part of the Square the children of the rich toddled about, under the watchful eyes of nurses.

"You say you live near here?" Al asked finally.

"Yes, just around the corner on Waverley Place. I have a room."

"Oh yes." Some hint of Grace's rather bleak and lonely life was borne home to Al in that one sentence—"I have a room." She had a room but, like thousands of other girls in the metropolis, she had no real home, no family, nothing much but dreams. Yet she lived bravely and without murmuring, thought Al, while he—The sentence remained unfinished.

He rose. "Gracie, you're the most wonderful girl in the world. I know it—at last. We'll talk a great deal about that later. But now you must go home and get some sleep. I'll go my way and—I'll see you tonight at Blackie's."

Grace stood before him, eyes glowing. "Thank you, Al," she whispered. She felt her hand seized. Suddenly he leaned over and kissed it.

"By-bye, little one, it's I who should do the thanking. . . . You'll see me tonight and, if clothes can make a difference, you'll see a different person. You just won't know Al Stone in his glad garments. And listen—you see that hotel over there—the white one?"

"Yes."

"That will be my address tomorrow. Then we'll be near each other and I can walk home with you every morning from Blackie's place. Tell Blackie I'm coming over to try out with his show if he'll give me a job."

Al was walking away, with Grace staring after him. He strode along briskly now and when he reached the edge of the Square he turned to wave good-bye to the intent little figure. For a moment Grace waited after he had disappeared, then she turned the other way toward her own home. Passers-by who saw her face knew that one girl had found happiness.

Al had over-estimated his strength in keeping up that rapid pace. He maintained it until he reached his hotel bedroom, then he sat down on the side of the bed, verging on physical collapse. The room's dinginess and the feeling communicated of the life he had been leading, brought a sudden wave of depression. But he fought it off, rose and began pacing up and down.

"I won't be licked," he told himself sharply. "Throw that little girl down after all she's done for me—never!"

He quickly opened a bureau drawer, took out an old sock and drew forth a roll of bills. The bills were quickly stuffed into his coat pocket, then he ran from the room as if escaping from a scene of pestilence.

An hour later he entered a men's haberdashery. He was shaved and his hair was trimmed. A clerk looked at him suspiciously, but finally deigned to approach.

"I want some clothes. Shirts, ties, socks, shoes, suits—the whole thing."

"Yes?" The clerk's nose rose a trifle higher.

"It's all right," said Al, and added simply, "I have the money." When he drew out his roll of bills the clerk's eyes bulged.

"I want the best you've got—and suppose we start on a blue serge suit.

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I always liked blue serge. Then I want some tweeds and some evening clothes."

The clerk saw a big commission ahead and stepped lively to supply Al's wants. But he couldn't help wondering if this bum had stolen the money or if some rich relative had suddenly died and left him a fortune. As they went from counter to counter Al's sense of shame at his run-down appearance left him; he even began to take a keen delight in the wonder he excited among the clerks and the other customers.

Grace had gone home to sleep as Al suggested. It was sleep broken by rosy dreams, during which she seemed to be floating gently under a clear blue sky. When she awoke it was afternoon. Soon she was hurrying toward Blackie's club.

Now it was well on toward midnight and Al had not appeared. Grace bent over her accounts and checked the waiters as they passed by her. Was Al going to fail her; would he prove too weak to make the comeback, after all her efforts? She drove the thought resolutely from her.

(To Be Continued.)

WHEN YOUR BABY CATCHES A COLD

In spite of all precautions little ones will take colds—especially during the changeable days of our Fall season. When the first symptoms appear—sneezing, redness of the eyes, running nose—Baby's Own Tablets should be given at once. They will rapidly break up the cold and prevent more serious complications.

Mothers who keep a box of Baby's Own Tablets in the home always feel safe. In fact they are like having a doctor in the house. They are a gentle but thorough laxative that sweeten the stomach and regulate the bowels, thus driving out constipation and indigestion and relieving the baby of the many childhood ailments which are the direct result of a clogged condition of the bowels or sour stomach. They are absolutely safe—being guaranteed to contain no drug at all harmful to even the youngest babe. They cannot possibly do harm—they always do good.

Saskatoon To Extend Paving

Subject to the approval of the Local Government Board, the council at Saskatoon authorized the expenditure of \$159,000 on paving and road making for 1930. Of this amount, \$104,000 will be for permanent paving.

Cheapest Of All Oils.—Considering the qualities of Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil it is the cheapest of all preparations offered to the public. It is to be found in every drug store in Canada from coast to coast and all country merchants keep it for sale. So, being easily procurable and extremely moderate in price, no one should be without a bottle of it.

She came into the police station with a picture in her hand.

"My husband has disappeared," she sobbed. "Here is his picture. I want you to find him."

The inspector looked up from the photograph. "Why?" he asked.

Minard's Liniment for Distemper.

Vitamins have been found in hash, but the name of the painstaking explorer has not been made public.

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Health Agencies Plan Co-operation

Canadian Associations With \$2,000,000 Annual Budget Meet In Ottawa

Very quietly, and without benefit of publicity, agencies that expend annually \$2,000,000 in promotion of Canadian health, met in Ottawa the other day, to discuss ways and means of co-ordinating their efforts and eliminating overlapping.

So successful was this effort to bring into the field of national health, the same spirit of co-operation that is making giant business mergers one of the signs of the times, that the fourteen agencies participating are considering adopting a set, annual date for regularly pooling their wisdom and mutually arranging their programmes.

The meeting was called by Dr. J. H. King, Minister of Pensions and National Health, and presided over by Dr. J. A. Amyot. A list of the organizations represented, follows:

Red Cross, Canadian Tuberculosis Association, Canadian Social Hygiene Council, Canadian Council on Child and Family Welfare, St. John's Ambulance Association, Canadian Dental Hygiene Council, Canadian Nurses' Association, Canadian Medical Association, National Council of Women, Canadian Public Health Association, Canadian National Committee for Mental Hygiene, Federation of Women's Institutes, Federation of French-Canadian Women and Victorian Order of Nurses.

One Woman In Eight Dies From Cancer

While Male Mortality One in 11, Says Canadian Radiologist

Out of every eight Canadian and American women, one dies of cancer, according to Dr. Gordon E. Richards, Toronto, chairman of the convention of the Radiological Society of North America, held in Toronto, recently. Dr. Richards is director of the Department of Radiology in the University of Toronto.

Conditions, however, are steadily improving.

"Even within the past five years, improvements in methods of treatment have increased the number of cures of cancer in women very greatly," he said, "and cures of throat and mouth cancer have increased by twenty-five per cent. during that period."

Dr. Joseph Colt Bloodgood, of Johns Hopkins University, and one of the most renowned cancer specialists in the world—who also attended the convention—stated in a recent interview that public education is, today, the greatest weapon in the fight against this disease.

Why He Honked

A young road-hog known for his determination never to be overtaken was going at great speed one day when he heard an insistent "honking" behind him.

He turned and saw, just on his hind wheels, a baby car driven by a wild-looking individual.

Back he turned to his wheel, down went the accelerator pedal, and up rushed the speed indicator.

Seventy-eight miles an hour were touched, but still the hooting continued.

At last worn out, the speed maniac slowed down and drew to the side of the road.

"Come on, then, if you must pass," he cried.

"I'm sorry," said the driver of the baby car, "but I'm hooked on."

Good for Toothache—Minard's Liniment.

Little Helps For This Week

"Let us walk by the same rule, let us mind the same thing."—Phil. iii. 16.

Life hath a load Which must be carried on, and safely may, Yet keep those cares without thee; let the heart Be God's alone, and choose the better part. Through all thy actions, counsels, and discourse, Let mildness and religion guide thee out; If truth be thine, what needs a brutish force? But what's not good and just ne'er go about.

—Henry Vaughan.

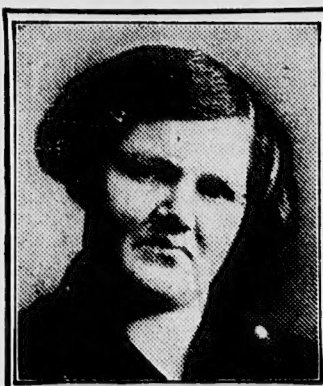
Elizabeth Fry drew up for her own guidance the following rules:—

1. Never lose any time. I do not think that lost which is spent in amusement or recreation every day; but always be in the act of being employed.
2. Never err the least in truth.
3. Never say an ill thing of a person when thou canst say a good thing of him; not only speak charitably but feel so.
4. Never be irritable or unkind to anybody.
5. Never indulge thyself in luxuries that are not necessary.
6. Do all things with consideration; and when thy path to act right is difficult, put confidence in that Power alone which is able to assist thee, and exert thy own powers as far as they go.

Corns are caused by the pressure of tight boots, but no one need be troubled with them long when so simple a remedy as Holloway's Corn Remover is available.

Railway Speed Record

The speed record for transcontinental rail travel is held by the Canadian National Railways, one of the system's oil-electric locomotives having crossed from Montreal to Vancouver, 2,944 miles, in 67 hours.



From Mother of Six

"I think Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is wonderful! I have had six children of which four are living and my youngest is a bonnie baby boy now eight months old who weighs 23 pounds. I have taken your medicine before each of them was born and have certainly received great benefit from it. I urge my friends to take it as I am sure they will receive the same help I did." —Mrs. Milton McMullen, Vanessa, Ontario.

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Melvin Notes.

A very large crowd witnessed an interesting Christmas program in the Melvin school.

Misses M. Brown, G. Brown, F. Bisset, E. Middleton and Mr. C. Brown spent the holidays at their homes in Manitoba.

Rev. Wiggins, of Cardston, Alta., spent the holidays with his daughter, Mrs. O. O. Swingle.

The masquerade dance on Friday last was well attended and everybody seemed to have a good time.

During the holidays many enjoyable skating parties were held on the Dog Pound.

Miss Dorothy Youngs visited with Mrs. Dr. A. J. Weart and daughters in Calgary, over New Years.

Miss Florence O'Brien, of Dovenlee, spent Christmas with her aunt Mrs. Geo. Youngs and New Years with friends in Calgary.

The B. W. I. program committee met at the home of Mrs. Wahl last Monday week to arrange the programs for the meetings of 1930. The first meeting was held at Mrs. Wahls on Wednesday.

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- 1 Heifer, black & white, bred July 3, due to freshen April 3.
- 1 Heifer, black & white, bred July 25, due to freshen April 25
- 1 Heifer, black & white, bred Aug. 7, due to freshen, May 7.
- 1 Heifer, black & white, bred Aug. 11, due to freshen May 3.
- 1 Heifer, black & white, bred Aug. 8, due to freshen, May 8.
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